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SUBJECT: CONTINENTAL BANK OF ILLINOIS VISIT TO QATAR

REF: STATE 193749

1. EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED FOREIGN MINISTRY NOTE INFORMING THAT THE GOVERNMENT OF QATAR WILL RECEIVE NO "GUESTS OR OFFICIALS" BETWEEN JULY 25 AND SEPTEMBER 15. EMBASSY WILL ATTEMPT TO MAKE APPOINTMENTS REQUESTED FOR SEPT 12 BUT WE EXPECT TO BE REBUFFED. (UNCLAS)

2. COMMERCIAL OFFICER DISCUSSED GENERAL POSSIBILITY OF SUCH APPOINTMENTS WITH PALACE LAST WEEK AND WAS INFORMED THAT OFFICIALS USUALLY WANT TO STRETCH ID AL-FITR HOLIDAY AND WOULD THEREFORE PROBABLY BE OUT OF COUNTRY UNTIL AFTER MID-SEPTEMBER. PALACE REFUSED TO COMMENT ON WHETHER EMIR WOULD BE IN COUNTRY AFTER ID AL-FITR BUT REMINDED COMMOFF THAT EMIR HAS SLIPPED OUT AFTER ID AL-FITR EVERY YEAR SINCE HE CAME TO POWER. (UNCLAS)

3. FYI: COMMERCIAL OFFICER DISCUSSED PROBLEM BY PHONE WITH CONTINENTAL ILLINOIS GENERAL MANAGER IN BAHRAIN. GENMANAGER INFORMED COMMOFF THAT SIMILAR PROBLEMS ARISING ON OTHER LEGS OF TRIP AND THAT CONTINENTAL HOME OFFICE HAD SCHEDULED TRIP AT THIS TIME IN SPITE OF CONTRARY ADVICE FROM BAHRAIN. IN EARLIER CONVERSATION WITH CONTENTNAL ILLINOIS BAHRAIN CONTROL OFFICER HE

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TOLD COMMOFF THAT BAHRAIN WOULD TRY TO GET TRIP POSTPONED OR CANCELLED. CONTROL OFFICER NOW ON LEAVE SO COMMOFF CANNOT REACH HIM.
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